

Chief, Services Branch

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FBIB Reorganization and Construction

1. During the past fiscal year FBIB has been engaged in a complete reorganization. This reorganization has involved planning and construction of four new stations, relocation of present field stations to these new sites, and implementation of this program as rapidly as possible.

2. The new West Coast station at Reseda, California, has been completed and is now in full operation. The three other new stations at Hedge Neck, Maryland, Cyprus and Okinawa are in various stages of development, all funds therefor having been obligated prior to 1 July 1948.

3. It is recognized that without the complete cooperation and conscientious efforts of the Services Branch funds for these projects could not have been obligated prior to 1 July 1948 and the construction could not have reached its present stage of development.

4. I wish to express my sincere gratitude and that of my staff for the splendid cooperation of the Services Branch in this matter.

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